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In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56 and 1.97 (b), Applicant wishes to call the attention of the Examiner to the references listed below.

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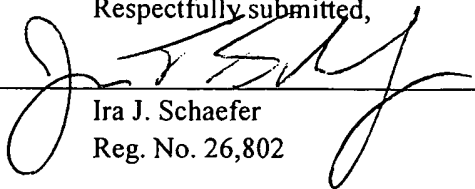
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